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REMARKS

On page 8 of the Remarks section in the Amendment previously filed on July 17, 2006, at line 23, the sentence **should** read as follows:

In contrast, claim 1 emphasizes that the "stub-program-call means to invoke the stub apparatus is provided in the program to be tested". Nelson does not teach or suggest such.

It is submitted that claims 12-16 continue to be allowable. It is further submitted that the claims are not taught, disclosed or suggested by the prior art. The claims are therefore in a condition suitable for allowance. An early Notice of Allowance is requested.

If any further fees, other than and except for the issue fee, are necessary with respect to this paper, the U.S.P.T.O. is requested to obtain the same from deposit account number 19-3935.

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